

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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THIRD PHASE OF JRY IN BIHAR
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) the date on which the third phase of Jawahar Rojgar Yojana was started in Bihar;
- (b) the number of programmes/ projects started so far under this phase;
- (c) the names of districts in the State selected for this phase;
- (d) the funds allocated to the state in this regard during each of the last three years and the current year; and
- (e) the performance of implementation of the programme in the State during the said period?.

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI SUBHASH MAHARIA)

(a)& (b): There was no scheme known as third phase of Jawahar Rojgar Yojana (JRY) in Bihar. However, a sub-scheme known as Third Stream (Innovative JRY) was introduced in 1993-94 all over the country including Bihar. The basic objective of this scheme was to provide wage employment and create rural infrastructure in remote and most backward areas which were bypassed by the normal ongoing rural development programmes. The scheme was implemented depending upon the projects received from State Governments. This sub-scheme has been discontinued with effect from 1-4-1999. A total of 92 projects were sanctioned in different States of the country, out of which 9 projects were sanctioned for Bihar.

(c),(d) &(e): The details of the 9 projects sanctioned in Bihar are at annexure-I